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#### CURRENT TOPICS.

A FLY's egg will hatch in 12 hours. A PET flea has been known to live six

THE czar has prepared a great reception for President Faure, of France.

THE fifth international congress of Criminal Anthropology will be held in Amsterdam in 1901.

MRS. HANNAH ROBINSON, of New York city, sold her husband for \$25 the other day, and now she regrets it.

More than 2,000 people mysteriously disappear from London every year, and are never heard of again.

CONSUL GENERAL LEE has expended about \$10,000 of the money appropriated for the relief of Americans in Cuba.

A St. Louis man was taken to court and fined \$50 the other day because his attempt at suicide had been unsuccess-

ONE of the highest shot towers in the world is to be found at Villach, in Corinthia, where there is a fall of 249 St. Petersburg's municipal author-

ities will present three immense loving cups to the visiting French war-Gold enough has been found in the

Swiss canton of Valais for the Berne mint to strike from it 30 twenty-franc

SPEAKING of carrying coals to New-castle, it is said that artificial ice is summer.

THERE are in France 1,302,400 unmarried women between the ages of 25 and 50, and 1,376,600 unmarried men aged over 30 years

In Mexico every journal, day book, ledger or other record kept by any person or firm must bear a five-cent stamp on every page.

county Washington. They are not native to the region.

In the French-German war 4,500 Hebrews were in the German army, of whom 327 earned the Iron Cross for bravery on the field.

THE Yellow river is styled the "Sorfloods in the present century have cost China 11,000,000 lives.

THE natives of Alaska seldom change their clothes unless they are worn out. Pennsylvania, and J. F. Mack, of Ohio. They are considered the filthiest race of beings on the earth.

physically than the men.

dral, London, while within a twelvemiles radius there are nearly 400.

THE British can now send a closed letter to any part of the British isle

THERE are about 2,000 persons in France who are set down as anarchists and are under the constant watch of the police of the various European

THE earl of Rahfurly, the newly appointed governor of New Zealand, is on the way to his post with 60 tons of baggage, including four carriages and 650 cases of wine. MR. PRESTON, the director of the

mint, estimates the gold production of the world for 1896 at \$205,000,000 and believes the production for 1897 will reach \$240,000,000.

EX-CONGRESSMAN HENRY ST. GEORGE TUCKER, of Virginia, has accepted the chair of equity and commercial, constitutional and international law in Washington and Lee university.

To INCREASE the brilliancy of incandescent electric lights a double film of carbon is placed inside the globe, the wire running into the glass base at its middle portion to support it.

FRANK B. STOCKTON, the well-known novelist, during his recent visit to Clarke county, Va., purchased from the Rosemont stock farm a pair of fine young mares for driving purposes.

KNIGHTHOOD was recently conferred upon R. Guinness, the acting manager of Guinness & Co., of Dublin. His brewery firm has already received two peerages and the ribbon of St. Pat-

THE British post office authorities are experimenting with motor cars with the view of their use as parcel vans and for the transport of the mails from the sub-stations to the railroad

Pocker camp stools are being made, with the legs joined and bolted together, the upper ends of the legs having projecting knobs or hooks, to which the corners of the canvas seat fatigue of remaining in position for are attached.

The first 2,000 will are attached.

A COMBINED whip socket and rein-holder is formed of a single piece of wire bent to form a round socket for the whip and a flat clamp for the reins and another by which it is attached to the dashboard.

iest pioneer ranchers of the Salt river ment, at the left of the line, has passed. valley, is being held a prisoner by the Mexican authorities at El Plomo, in the state of Sonora, as a witness against In- patriotic songs to the accompaniment

dians in a shooting case. VENTILATED handle bars for bicycles have openings on the front side of the bar with a pair of perforated slotted handles, the air entering the bar as the wheelman rides along and coming out of the slits in the handles.

#### HUMAN SHIELD

Will Be One of the Features of the G. A. R. Encampment.

Thousands of Veterans and Their Friends Pouring Into the City—Ample Accom-modation for All—Candidates to Sueceed the Commander-in-Chief.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 23.-Buffalo is all ready for the army of veterans who are on their way here to attend the thirty-first annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. During the night hundreds of veterans and their friends arrived, and Sunday they were coming in by thousands. It is estimated that nearly 8,000 strangers were in town Saturday and that from 15,000 to 20,000 came in Sunday.

The various railroads entering Buffalo report that in addition to the hundreds of regular trains, schedules have been prepared for 245 specials to arrive here by Tuesday noon. Among the prominent arrivals are J. Cory Winans, of Commander-in-Chief Clarkson's staff; S. Lewis, past junior vice commander, and Daniel Ross, of Wilmington, Del., a candidate for junior vice commander-in-chief.

Camp Jewett, as the city of tents is known, is all ready for its inhabitants and while it will not be formally opened until 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, made in Juneau, Alaska, during the a number of posts are already in-

Ample arrangements have been made at the camp and elsewhere for the care of the sick. Three hospital tents have been erected at Camp Jewett, each in charge of a competent staff of physi-

The honor of flying the first pennant from any tent at Camp Jewett belongs to Reno post., No. 64, of Williamsport, WALNUTS and butternuts are being Pa. A detachment of 11 members arsuccessfully cultivated in Whatcome rived Saturday, and was assigned to county, Washington. They are not tents 27-29. Clayton P. White, of Williamsport, was the first veteran to arrive, and is quartered on the steamer Idaho, which has been assigned to the naval posts.

Among the later announcement of candidates to succeed Commander-inrow of China." It is estimated that its | Chief Clarkson are the names of John C. Lineham, of New Hampshire; Geo. H. Ennis, of Massachusetts; James A. Seaton, of Chicago, J. P. S. Gobin, of

Col. Winans, of Commander-in-Chief

of beings on the earth.

It is noted that the women of the of visitors to Buffalo during the week at 200,000, making the largest encampment of the choice of the veterans for the next enchoice of the next enchoic MILAN thinks it has the smallest campment, Col. Winan's said that so horse in existence. It is a Shetland far as his information went, there was pony, six hands, or 24 inches, high, raised by the Marchese Carcano. but one choice among the delegates, and that was Cincinnati. There seems THERE are 256 railway stations within a six-mile radius of St. Paul's cathed the eastern people that San Francisco the eastern people that San Francisco wants the encampment but that is a mistake. San Francisco is preparing to make a bid in 1899. regard to the encampment held in for one penny, provided it does not Richmond, Va., he asserted there is weigh more than one-quarter ounce. nothing in it. The people down there do not want it and the veterans do not care to go there. The chief objection, he said, was the certainty of unpleasant complications over the color line. Notwithstanding this view the Young Men's Business association of Richmond has opened headquarters here and is making an effort to secure the encampment.

Col. Winans says Pennsylvania will send the most people to the encampment, with New York second and Ohio third in attendance.

One of the most brilliant features of the encampment will be the living shield, which will be produced on Wednesday, the day of the parade.

Four thousand children from the schools, who have been under rehearsal for weeks, will form the shield, which will stand on Chippewa street, just below Delaware avenue, at the point where the line of march turns from Chippewa street into the avenue. Its pesition will be such as to face the marching columns for the two blocks.

The platform upon which the children will sit will be built squarely across Chippewa street, cutting off all traffic. It is to resemble a large grand stand, the seats grading upward as the elevation increases

This will give the shield the appearance intended, namely, of resting on an easle. The seating space will be square and the figures, dressed in red, white and blue, will be so arranged as to form the outline of a shield, with red and white stripes, and with white stars in a blue field, surrounded by a border of black. Boys in black garments are to form the black back ground, while boys and girls, dressed in red, white and blue, will fill in the

stars and stripes and the field. These Children of the Shield will be devided into two reliefs to avoid the take their places in the morning just before the column moves, and will remain in position until about half of the procession has passed. Then they will be relieved by the second division, he dashboard.

Gordon Hunsaker, one of the wealthlast man in the New York state depart-

> The Children of the Shield will all day long sing national anthems and of music.

Col. Hodge's Funeral.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 23.—The tuneral of Col. John O. Hodges took place here Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Second Presbyterian

#### BLOODSHED.

A Conflict Between the Workers and Strikers Near Pittsburgh.

The Aggressive Workers Escaped Before the Men in the Oak Hill Camp Were Aware of the Fight—Riot Among

PITTSBURGH, Pa , Aug. 23.—Religious services were held in the strikers' several camps Sunday, and all were largey attended, but notwith anding the religious air pervading the camps, a conflict between workers and strikers took place in the afternoon, during which three strikers were badly hurt, but none are in a serious condition. Five of the men who are working for the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Co., Sunday afternoon went to William Seamon's boarding house, about onehalf mile from Oak Hill tipple, where a number of strikers are quartered, for the purpose of persuading the strikers to go to work. The meeting was a stormy one and resulted in Antonio Podasky being shot near the heart, the bullet going almost through his body. Grongron Pimold was shot in the eye and Botiste Dalmese was cut with a razor. The injured men are all strikers. This was the only disturbance recorded at the camps Sunday. The ag-gressive workmen escaped before the men on the Oak Hill camp were aware

of the fight. The report that Sandy Creek camp will be abandoned was denied by the strikers Sunday and they say 50 men will be sent there from Plum Creek and

Turtle Creek. In addition to the general missionary work for the week the leaders have decided to direct especial work to the prevention of operations at the Sandy Creek mine. The strikers say they will resume their marching tactics Monday morning, claiming that under the ruling of Judge Goff in the West Virginia

cases they are given this right.

The sheriff does not say Sunday what course he will pursue in the morning should marching begin, but thinks he

is ready to meet every emergency.

Sympathy for the strikers by the farmers and citizens is not diminishing in the least. Sunday there were about 700 visitors to the camp at Sandy creek, many of the farmers who came bringing wagon loads of provisions. Citizens of New Texas sent word that they had plenty of food for the men and wanted them to call on them when

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 23.-Unity, a camp of Negro workmen employed in building the new Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Eric rallroad, is keeping up its employ of Mrs. James E. Pepper, at day night comes the report from there ed by an exploding lamp. of a small sized riot, and three or four individual fights, during the progress of which one man was fatally shot and innumerable wounds inflicted on others. It is said that nearly or quite all the Negroes in the camp are armed with revolvers and razors, and are a generally lawless set of men. The record of the day's doings is briefly as

follows: Tom Cash, nicked-named "Powder and Ball." was flourishing a 45-calibre revolver, when John Kelley came along and made some slighting remark at which Cash took offense, and he blazed away at Kelley, the bullet entering the abdomen, cutting its way clear through the stomach and intestines. Kelly is bleeding internally and will die before morning. George Walker and Emanuel quarreled over a disolute who frequents the camps, and Walker was shot, but not seriously wounded. Next William Matthews and George Smith became involved in a quarrel about something which nobody but themselves know of and Matthews received two bullets from Smith's revolver, one in the arm and another in

the leg. The whole was climaxed by a general fight in which ten shooters engaged. A Negro called Rags was shot in the head and a number of others received shot and razor wounds which were dressed by themselves or friends after the battle was over.

#### NASHVILLE MAN

Kills His Wife and Brother-in-Law and Then Fatally Wounds Himself.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 23.-J. B. Rich, a young white man, shot and killed his wife Sunday night at the home of her mother in east Nashville. He then killed his brother-in-law, shooting him twice. Then he left the house and while in the yard shot himself twice inflicting wounds from which he is expected to die. The pistol used was a 45-caliber revolver. Rich a week ago filed a bill for divorce against his wife, alleging infidelity. Sunday he was arrested charged with kidnaping one of the children and it s supposed the arrest enraged him and induced him to go to the house of his mother-in-law.

"The Raising of Lazarus." London, Aug. 23.—Henry Tanner, an American Negro who has been studying painting in Paris for some years, has won the greatest distinction that has come to a member of his race in that field. He recently exhibited in the salon a work entitled "The Raising of Lazarus," which received signal praise from the critics and has been purchased by the French government for the Luxembourg. The artist is a son of a missionary of the African Methodist church. He has studied un-

#### KENTUCKY STATE NEWS.

day by Joseph Knoeswenberber, a United States gauger, at Louisville, is

VIVAL meeting was held in the bom of Curley's big distillery at Camb Nelson.

ERD of fat cattle, averaging 1,800 ds, became stampeded near Frank-ind eight of them fell over an em-ment. a distance of 75 feet. Five

livery stables belonging to Car-Key, Mayfield, burned. Twenty s perished in the flames. Two other buildings were destroyed.

HN VAN METER, David Hogan, Geo. Martin, Geo. Wand, Norman Clinton and Porter Smithers have been arrested at Bowling Green for violation of the Kentucky mob law.

nine tollgates were chopped down by raiders. There were 15 men in the

nence, denies that any of the money was diverted from the proper channel HARRY PFORZHEIMER, of New York, is in jail at Louisville on the charge of having bad checks in his possession. He figured in the Cross case in Cincin-J. E. Lynn

THERE are now five syndicates in the field after controlling shares in the Louisville Gas Co.

THERE has always been a strong belief that silver ore existed in the knobs of Bullitt county. Several persons are now engaged in getting specimens for the purpose of having them

THE Maraman Bros., will soon begin the erection of a large pork-packing establishment on the farm, near Shepherdsville. They expect to kill from 5,000 to 6,000 hogs during the coming

FIREBUGS are believed to be at work in Warren county.
ODDFELLOWS will build a three-story

business block at Paducah. THERE is talk of trying to search for silver vein in Bath county.

THE grape crop in Kentucky is about three weeks later than last year.
J. S. RENICK's large barn, containing ,000 pounds of dressed hemp, burned Winchester. Loss, \$20,000; insur-

THE state re-union of the G. A. R. will be held at Hogenville, September 12 and 13. Abraham Lincoln was born in the county.

ington, was probably fatally burn-

will march from Indian territory to visit the graves of their noted chiefs in Western Kentucky.

Ar Middleboro Lena Callinsworth died from the effects of 58 days' fast. She quarreled with her husband and had vowed she would not eat until he returned to her.

Work has begun on a system of sewrage at Paducah. It is probable a new bank will be or-

IMPROVEMENTS are being made on the Eastern Kentucky railway between Webbville and Greenup. Nine carloads of steel rails have been bought and are now being laid.

John Houchin caught on a trot line near Green river lock No. 5 a catfish weighing 119 pounds. Houchin was twice thrown into the river, but finally landed the fish, which netted him \$9.40.

suicide by stabbing herself over the heart with a large bowie knife. She told her suitor a few moments previous that the next time he saw her she would be in hades.

Ar Belton, Muhlenburg county, the other day was celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the existence of the Hazel Creek Baptist church. Some 3,000 people were gathered to participate in the celebration. The church was organized August 19, 1797, and consisted of 14 members. Several weeks ago old records were found describing the baptistry, and after much digging and hunting it was located and unearthed.

COL. JOHN OGDEN HODGES died at his residence, No. 90 North Upper street, Lexington. Col. Hodges had been bedfast for several months with prestitis. He was born December 17, 1831, at Cynthiana, Ky. From Center college at Danville he was graduated as one of the most famous class in the history of that institution. At Danville, February 19, 1854, he married Miss Mary Messick. Two years later he removed to Missouri and practiced law until the war broke out. H took part in the struggle in favor of the confederacy, serving under Gen. Price. In 1863 he returned to Lexington and engaged in the dry goods business. In 1880 he established the Sunday Observer, through which, until the hour of his illness, he waged war against his political enemies. Col. Hodges held the office of superintendent of public schools, and was later elected state senator, which office he filled with honor to himself and the community.

CHOLERA is playing havor with hogs in the southern part of the state. At Newstead 134 died within four days. A REPRESENTATIVE of the Cherokee Indians is now in Western Kentucky looking up the graves of several of their

AX WILEY, who was shot the other

In Harrison county the other night

COL. W. L. CRABB, of the defunct distillery firm of Crabb & Fible, Eminati recently. Cross is now serving a term in the workhouse.

LIZZIE FRENCH, of Cincinnati, in the

TWELVE hundred Cherokee Indians

ganized at Shepherdsville.

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Clipperton island, to which He afterward left for Mt. Vernon. cured near Buckeye, this county, claim.

ATTORNEY General Taylor holds that the Kentucky Populists need this fall, as their vote for Congressmen was more than two per cent. of the vote last fall, but that the National Democrats will have to perition.

#### Brodhead Fair.

The Brodhead Fair wound up in a blaze of glory last Friday when some 1.700 people witnessed the splendid program well carried out. The attendance, as usual with fairs, for the first two days was not large but all who come seemed to enjoy the show. Adjoining counties sent good delegations and fine Col. Durrett Tribble of Madison county. The Floral Hall contained down that he is no beauty. a wide, varied and beautiful display of woman's handiwork. This hall also contained displays of agricultural products.

The pantry display was creditable. Fruits, farm and garden, melons showed up well.

In the ring for little girls from four to six years old, with our esteemed friend, E. C. Walton, as one of the judges, much interest was taken. Littie Lila Boyd, of Atlanta, look the blue and Mattie Lee Wilmott, Brodhead, the red ribbons. Among the riders in the ladies ring appeared half dozen rider. Miss Rosa Gentry, of this place, was awarded the blue. Miss Gentry received a premium last year in a similar ring.

The bycycle races were good and greatly enjoyed by the admirers of races, a horse belonging to Dink Farmer, of Lincoln, ran away after a preliminary heat and made things and everybody had to clear the track, After making a new start of it this horse came out second best.

As is the case at nearly all fairs of any consequence the "pointer" machine was on hand to get a few nickels. One of our old triends who owns a big farm, and yet feels unable to take his county paper, played one of these machines until he had blown in over a hundred free silver dollars. He stopped at that, begged, coaxed, plead and threatened the man in charge until he recoverd the most of it. He may myest a dollar of it in the SIGNAL and keep better postsd in the future.

The best of order prevailed throughout the three days exhibis

The Brodhead band furhished the delightful music.

The officers and managers are to be congratulated on the success of their second venture to give Rockond the motion of the Interior Journal to have them continue in dezurn between nice pints. the positions they now occupy on

also crowded.

Anderson Carr and his minstrel times on fair grounds.

also remember Harvey Dunn.

of Livingston, were present.

wife, of Hazel patch, were there. have several opponents whom Alfred Owens, of East Bernstadt, was not tar away.

J. M. Cress, of Sweeny, called the second day.

Dr. G. H. Albright, of Barbourvile, was on hands advertising his fair which takes place on THE American flag is flying over 1, 2 and 3rd. of September.

Great Britain has recently laid J. B. Hays, J. E. Griffin and oth-Richardson and others Conway a gang of twelve. He was taken friends were at the fair.

not petition to get on the ballot the local freight Friday and many Four couvicts escaped while the back.

night train,

moved along smoothly.

N. M. Shumate had charge of the stables.

Judge Morrow was represented the trial of these men: by his W. B. who also visited Mt. Vernon.

Judge Denton, of Somerset, was among the visitors.

Hamp Reynolds, who took the he and not Morgan Johnson killed premium last year in the ugly man's Guard Pomp Ball in 1891. In his stock. Among them we noticed ring, was distanced this time by Sol Northern. You can set it

POSSUM HOLLER.

Everybody is sick or complaining in this fair land of ours. J. N. Brown, W. H. Brown, Sr., Joe Brown and quite a number more are and have been on the sick list.

Dr. T. J. Price is having quite an extensive practice and good success. He hails from the Eclectic School of medicine. I suppose those fellows get their 1st lessons in medicin from the Eclectic Speller, while those of the Homeopathpretty girls who competed for the icar trained from the Blue-back premium for the most graceful lady and the Alapath go through without either. Well each is far ahead of the other two in curative powers if yo will take what they say as evidence, and who knows better than they? I am sure I don't, fur when I git sick i send fur both, the silent steed. In one of the both sorts and take all their medisons and alwase git well and uv cuorse tha coure me and i giv them ekel praze and never hav enny lively by going around the ring trubble except in gitten uv the ten or more times. Everything money to pay the bills. Now sum men don't bleve in doctors but i do fur we reed uv them in the Skripture where the woe was pronounced on thim along side uv the lawyers, scribes and hypocrites n l other big fellers.

> The rain continues to be poured out on "the just and unjust" alike and our corn and weeds is jest a gitten thar.

Bro. Gregg ses that even a wayfaren man or a phool can see and HORSE-SHOEING A feel the effects uv renude prosperity It ma be that, that class can but i herd sum sensible, well-informed My new shop is on Taylor Avenue citizens sa that tha don't dezurn enny difference betwixt now and then. I also herd sum uv Possum Hollers britest polly tishuns wishing yisterday that the Legislater wood rush up the tariph law, so i can't see that it makes much difference with sum men whether we have a big tariff or a little one or none at all as most uv us make what we live on and live on what we make, whether we make much castle a first-class fair and we sec- or little; or little or much. Sum men don't lern fast tho' and can't

The credit system and the mort-

the board of directors, etc. Brod- gage sistem-the one father of tothhead simply did herself proud in er-is a great big pull-back to most way of entertainment. The hotels uv us. Now in order to correct had a fine run of custom and the some uv these irregularities i am guests were well looked after and a candidate for the office uv 'Squire cared for. F. Francisco at Hotel and will be elected too, if I get Frith hardly slept for three days votes enough, and in order to do and nights, Albright Holel was this i must ask wives to electioneer with their husbands and young ladies with their sweethearts. Tell troup attracted large crowds at all them ladies that i will certainly look after the best interests uv the We are under obligations to the county, oppose high salaries in Directors for favors extended. We county officials and all other improper or unjust claims. Voters, Judge Champ Mullins and wife ask yourselves the question: Can not some improvement be made Tony Brooks, O. W. Turpin, and and a great saving effected?. I will ask, if elected, what course will you pursue? Ladies, talk for and gentlemen vote or me and elect Buck Varnon.

The following dispatch from Frankfort to the Louisville Times recalls a shocking tragedy that ocwhen guard George (Pomp) Ball ers of Wildie; J. L. Brooks, B. C. was killed by a convict who was in from the depot here to work on Mt, Vernon sent 150 down on grading of the K. C. Railroad, by private conveyance and horse- rest went to camp and reported the facts and were shortly pardoned by About 50 lingered too long on the Governor on the recomendation the grounds Friday and missed the of Captain Craig the inspector at local freight and had to wait for the that time. Smith with Johnson and the others were re-captured A blockade runner was arrested and we believe Johnson and Smith on the grounds by U. S. Marshal. got life sentences from the Rock-No other arrests as everything castle court - the records ought to show whether Johnson is guilty. We are under the impression that Gov. Bradley was present during Mr. VERNON, - - KENTUCKY.

> confined hare, has written a letter to Capt. Hyde, his Snnday School teacher, in which he confesses that letter he, in substance says: 'I want to make a statement about Morgan Johnson. He is confined WHISKIES' WINES, &c., &c., for a crime he did not commit. It is for the murder of P cmp Ball. I, Henry Smith and others made up a plot to kill Ball, and Morgan Johnson knew nothing of it, and has already suffered too much for our wrong, falsehoods and wickedness. On May 20, 1891, Pomp Ball was taking some men to the railroad camp, when I, Henry Smith, Bob Located at the Depot Ray, Bale Patterson and Landess Griggs made up a plot to kill him (Guard Ball), and Morgan Johnson knew nothing of the crime and was in another car at the time. After making up the plot we decided to lay it on Johnson, who was convicted and given a life sentence I, Henry Smith, am alone to blame for Pomp Ball's death. Morgan Johnson is unjustly confined. He has no money or friends or any way to put the facts before you. I pray that you do something for poor Morgan. He needs mercy. I am at your service for further facts"

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#### CHURCHES.

Christian-Holds services 1st & 3r 1 Sunday at 11 a. n. wild at 6:30 p. m .- Rev. Forrer

Presbyter an-Holds services on the 4th Sunday hete, and on the 1st Sunday at Liv ingston.

Baptist Church-Services on the Second Saturday night and Sunday. Sunday School at 9 a m every Sunday. Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights. Rev. J C Carmical, pastor.

#### MASONIC.

Ashland Lodge No. 640 meets every Sec ond Saturday at 1 p. m.

#### LOCAL @ OTHERWISE.

Saddles, all prices by S. W. Davis | hands.

Peaches have been selling at 50c per bushel.

Crudup's quarry.

Dr. Davis is adding to his stock of drugs and groceries.

Mrs. Dr. Brown, of Parksville

is visiting relatives here. Several cases of diptheria has

been reported near town. Mrs. L. M Scroggs is spending

the week at Crab Orchard. A. J. Pike bought several lots of

nice hogs near this place at 3 cents.

Mrs. Tom Southard has been visiting the family of Tilman Gilpin.

James Paynter attended to post terms. Call at SIGNAL office. office duties at Brodhead during the

success.

Wm. Poynter bought the Harrison Carpenter farm near town for \$1,000.

sumption.

A child of Juo. McLemore died in 1749. of ulcerated sore throat after a years ifiness.

us Monday and looked "as young tombstones. Mr. Collyer does as he ussd to be."

Tanbark is yet being hauled to this place. Some from a distance of seventeen miles.

Miss Lou Vowels and sister, and little Miss Linton have returned to Middlesboro.

tunnel No 3, has been moved to church. All are invited. crusher at Mullins Station.

sawing lumber.

ried last Saturday.

While unloading freight at Boston Wednesday afternoon, train 28 had its caboose ran into by train 36 killing engineer Scanlon.

Maret, Saturday last.

The Laurel county authorities ered lots of assistance. have issued quarantine writs against all who attended the burial of little Henry Landrum, at Pittsburg, on account of the death having been from diphtheria.

in Western gold helds.

S. W. Davis can make you a first and see him.

N. M. Shumate has a tenant who saw two square snakes on his place last week.

horoughbred Polland-China boar S. B. FREEMAN.

He can suit you in goods and prices. Call on S. W. Davis and see

The trial of the Turners for the killing of Marion Sebastian is in progress at Lancaster.

Misses Allie Fish and Bessie Carson, two pretty Crab Orchard girls, are visiting Mrs. F. L. Thompson.

Prof. L. M. Scroggs made a three day's trip to Pulaski county last week in the interest of the College.

John Wanamaker the Phila-It pays to advertise.

and Birdsell wagons-now on day last. He says he will give up

A Demorest Medal Contest will be given at the school house at Diphtheria is prevailing around Pine Hill on the night of September 3rd. All are invited to attend.

> Prof. Scroggs joined the excur sion to Chattanooga and Lookout Mountain on Saturday, from Junetion City. He will return to Crab Orchard on Wednesday.

declares to make the race for County attorney. His election is virtually conceded and assured.

FOR SALE.—One cottage of four ington, Ky. rooms, good garden spot, smoke house, cellar and well. Situated near Collegiate Institute. Liberal

Wm. McNew has started his night. He committed rape on his ing were pall bearers: Joshua shingle mill here. He deserves sister-in-law and had been sen- Boreing, W. M. Poynter, M T. the deed.

Twelve hundred Cherokee Indians will march from the Indian Near Orlando on the 17th, the Territory to Logan county. Ken wife of Albert Griffin died of con- tucky to disinter the bones of a noted chief that was buried there

William Collyer the marble cutter at Brodhead, was here Tuesday 'Squire Ashley Owens called on and secured several nice orders for good work and at reasonable prices and deserves the patronage of on

Rev. L. M. Scroggs will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. In the evening Mr. W. S. Waller, of Louisville, will address the young people, of The commissary of quarry at Mt. Vernon at the Presbyterian

Henry Watterson, the 5-year-J. L. Brooks has bought several old son of James Landrum, this hundred acres of timberland of place, died of diphtheria on Satur- tive present on September 4th Ely Coffee and will shortly begin day last. The remains were taken when another examination will be to Pittsburg by wagon on account held and scholarships awarded. Ault. Mason and Miss Martha, of trains being prohibited from cara daughter of Rev. Shad Davault rying bodies that have died of coneloped to Jellico and were mar- tagious diseases. Another one of Mr. L's children was sick with same disease but recovered.

an entertainment at the Court towns and farmers can now have house on Thursday night, September 2nd. Everybody turn out cities, as each consumer controls his last week. Mrs. W. B. Smith and sister, and see the entertainment. Adults own little gas plants, which is quite Ottie Brown, Mrs. J. W. Nesbitt 15c., children 10c. Winter is comand Misses Lena and Mattie New- ing on and the aid of this society comb took dinner with Mrs. James will be greatly needed by the poor, as it was last winter, when it rend-

The usual sight of a Republican getting signatures to a petition asking a Democrat to run for an office was seen at the Brodhead fair and it wasn't down on the program Two of our citizens are making either. Mr. D. R. Totten was the arrangements for starting to the Republican and the man he wants Klondike region in the spring, to run is none other than Mr. R. Chas. Simpson is one of them. G. Williams, of Mt. Vernon, who He is an old sailor and fronvers- will be Rockcasile's next county man and has had some experience judge. See if I am not right. - E. C. W., in Interior Journal.

saddle, bridle or set of harness.

class pair of boots or shoes. Call stove in good condition. Call at this office.

Mrs. W. T. Brooks, of Paris, are vour them. My corn crop is very visiting Mrs. Charles Spilman at Notice-I have for sale one at Legana, Jessamine county.

> daughter, Miss Rosa, are attend- will make 111/2 gallons. we have ing the London fair. Miss Rosa had plenty of beens. I guess you will enter the contest for the gold hev. We had a fine crop of blackwatch to be given to the best lady berries except the left-hand hill

> near Mt. Sterling on the morning mule will have the larbord end of of the 24, and assaulted by a negro. Yore farm ete up. Bil Isick was The woman fought pluckily, and over a few days ago looking the brute was frightened off. Over yore farm. Sed he wood like A mob is scouring the country.

Owing to the diphtheria scare our Hope I will see you against I shere public school was dismissed on mi hogs. Yours truly, Monday morning for one week, but on reconsideration it was dedelphia merchant. spent \$30,000 cided to go ahead Wednesday. belast year for newspaper advertising lieving that all danger had passed.

W. H. Brannaman one of the Jonas McKenenzie is agent for county's most substanch farmers, he Champion mowing machines of near Wildie, was here on Monthe sport of fishing and take up bird hunting this fall. Our foreman S. C. Franklin presented him with a fine setter pup that he brought with him from Lexington last week.

W. R. SMITH'S COLLEGE Lexington, Ky., is where hundreds of clerks, farmer boys and others have invested \$90 for tuition and board for an education and are get-It is gratifying to our people to ting \$1000 and over a year. Read know that Judge G. W. McClure ad. and keep this notice for refer- place attended the fair at Brodhead ence. Remember in order that last week. your letters may reach this college to address only W. R. Smith, Lex-

The funeral Samuel Myers occurred last Friday. The services were conducted by Revs. Forrer drews were the guests of James and Boswell. The procession to Payne and also attended the Brod-Elcaney Sullivan was hung by a the grave was conducted by Willis head fair last week. mob at Williamsburg, Saturday Griffin, undertaker. The followtenced to the pen for 21, years for Fish, Armstead Lair, Meshack Gentry and S. D. Hysinger.

The interment took place in the family burial grounds. The deceased was an upright and honorable man and was universally liked and respected by his neighbors and all who knew him.

The Board of Examiners for free scholarship in Mt. Vernon Collegiate Institute met on Aug 14th and awarded scholarships to the following candidates:

County at large, Miss Carrie Butner; Mt. Vernon district, Iola Han-

Roundstone, Maranda McKen-

Livingston, Lee Chesnut.

Browns, J. L. Nicely. Brodhead, Wade Leece.

Scaffold Cane, Crooked Creek and Walnut Grove districts not represented at the meeting. They are requested to have a representa-

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Our fellow townsman "Dr." D. N. Williams received the following letter from a tenant on his 20-acre Skaggs creek farm:

Hansford, Ky., July 26, 1897. Mr. David Williams,

Dear Sir:- I have got yore otes cut. I am sorry to inform you it has bin a vary sorry rett, Walter Hunt and Jesse Baker

Let S. W. Davis make you a good otes yer. You only had fore dozen bundles to yore part. Gentry Evans' mule was about to ete them Wanted-A second hand heating up so I had to tie them in the top of a saplin. So you hed better send a teem after them as the birds and Mrs. J. L. Joplin and daughter. buzzards and things is about to delite one to the hill. May cabage looks very well, especial where the stable stood. The corn looks very Mr. and Mrs, George Gentry and well, it is about ne hi. I think it side it sorter scorched. I think Miss Mary Conley was attacked in a few more days Gentry Evans' to rent it next yere but as I am already here I wood like to stay.

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WABD.

Charlie, little son of James Payne, is quite sick.

J. J. Bray sold a span of mules last week for \$197.

Henry Catron, candidate for sheriff, was here last Thursday.

W. A, and Wm. Cummins went to Livingson on Saturday last.

Oute a number from this

Misses Sarah Alice Hayes and Carrie Searcy visited Mrs. A. K. Gooch near Bee Lick on Saturday

E. J. and Sam Wyrick of An-

ORLANDO.

Tom Bowles made a flying trip to Mt. Vernon, Monday.

J. L. Ball continues to build verandas to his dwelling.

John Robinson is visiting friends in Clay county this week. Abe and Bill Evans who have

typhoyd fever are convalescing. K. Hundley has just returned from a business trip to Jackson county. He come in via Egypt.

Louis Reams is letting a contract for a new dwelling. He has who have been with the stone had a peach tree switch twisted gang for some time, quit Saturday, in our town Saturday and nearly to see where to sink a well.

#### BRODHEAD.

Rev. S. D. Forrer preached here Sunday last.

Miss Lizzie Heron, of Stanford, was here last week.

W. G. Tharp and wife are visit relatives in Marion county.

J. B. Hayes and family, of Liv-

ngston attended fair at this place. Mrs. Henry Tharp, of Richmond, s the guest of her sister, Mrs. J.

Misses Berta and Susie Hilton,

Master Ora Frith gave a party to a large number of friends on

The fair was a grand success. everything moved off nicely and the stockholders seem to be well

Mrs. Pearl Parsons, of Lebanon

Junction attended the Fair and is

the guest of her brother and sisters -the Newland family. A young man who claimed to live in Laurel county was arrested here for selling liquor, by U. S.

Marshal Nelson Griffin. Messrs. Walter Miller, Jonn Jar-

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A. E. Albright's store was broke into on Thursday night, the 19th-The loss is unknown. Yet nothing much is missing. The money drawers were torn up and a valise carried out and cut open which belonged to Smith P:ewitt. They took a suit of clothes, pair of shoes and some other things belonging to

CONWAY.

Mrs. Prewitt.

Mrs. Ella J. Agee is visiting her prospects of his election. father at Cove.

Silas Baker and wife visited at London last week.

Miss Nannie Johnson has a severe attack of malarial fever. Ben Lair and Bennett Riddle, of

Brindle Ridge, was with us Satur Johnny McKenzie, aged two

rears, died of cholera infantum on

the 21st. Misse Mattie Johnson and Mary Thomas visited friends near Sny- PRACTICAL der, Sunday.

Rev. Williams failed to fill his ppointment at this place Sunday on occount of sickness.

Uncle Johnny Dobbs, aged 75 years, who has been very sick for everal days is some better.

Ouite a number of people were all of them were Dick Williams

Jesse Singleton killed a rattle snake near this place which measured five feet and 10 inches and 15 John Itson died a few days ago

near Snyder's Switch from gun-shot wound in the hip which he received about a year ago. Our next sheriff, J. W. Baker, passed through our town last week.

The boys seem pleased with the

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### ARBITRATION.

Miners and Operators Hope to Effect a Settlement.

A Conference Held in Pittsburgh by Representatives of Both Sides.

A Shooting Affray Among Italian Miners Made the Occasion of a Call for a Gen-eral Meeting of Organized Labor—, President Dolan's Escape.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 24.-The conference of operators and miners' officials adjourned shortly before 11 o'clock Monday night without reaching an agreement. Another conference will be held Tuesday morning, when both sides hope to effect a settlement. G. W. Schlendeberg, a member of the operators' committee, stated that the question of settlement in other states had been eliminated, and that the conference was

the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Co. was made the occasion of a call for a general meeting of organized labor Tuesday evening at Knights of Labor

assassins in the employ of the corporations are intimidating and shooting down our brothers who are struggling for living wages. We feel that appeals to the courts would be useless for reasons known to all of us. In order, then, to get your advice and assistance at this trying time, we are earnestly requesting you in the name of American manhood and our children's future liberty, to meet in conference with us on Tuesday evening, August 24, 1897, at K. of L. hall, No. 66 Third avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., at 8 p. m. (Signed.) P. DOLAN.

President Miners. WM. WARNER.

Secretary Miners. Indorsed by Paul St. Peter, secretary Window Glass Workers; M. P. Carrack, general president Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators; W. J. Smith, president American Flint Glass Workers;

escape from death at 9 a.m. Monday and John McLuckie, the camp commisand John McLuckie, the camp commissary, was badly hurt by being struck by a train. The two men were hurrying along the Pan-handle tracks to catch a train at Sturgeon station. They did not notice the train they were to did not notice the train they were to pear. take was not on the usual track, and it came up behind them. McLuckie was struck on the right side and fell. He was stunned, and Dolan was shoved aside. He called to McLuckie to lie still, for if he had moved a couple of inches he would have been crushed. Mr. Dolan said it was the closest call he ever had.

#### ADOLPH LUETGERT.

The Wealthy Sausage Maker of Chicago On Trial for the Murder of His Wife. CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—After two preliminary hearings and three months' con-

finement in the county jail, Adolph Luetgert, the rich sausage maker, was put on trial, charged with the murder of his wife, before Judge Tuthill, in the criminal court Monday. The big sausage maker has declared to his attorneys, ex-Judge William A. Vincent and Albert Phalen, that he desired no further delay. Both the state and defense prophesy that 1,000 veniremen will be examined, and that a week will pass before 12 men, who are acceptable to both sides, are found. Then the trial will begin in earnest.

The theory of the state is that Luetgert induced his wife to accompany him to his sleeping apartment in the factory office and there strangled her. Then he is thought to have taken her body to the cellar and to have immersed it in a vat filled with a solution of caustic potash heated to the boiling point. What remained of the body after this process, it is alleged, was gathered together and thrown into the furnace of one of the factory boilers. Then fire had been kept up under one of the boilers upon express orders given by Luetgert to his watchman Frank Bialk.

The state has made several experiments in support of this theory.

Was He Put Out of the Way? St. Louis, Aug. 24.—A special to the Republic from Tuscola, Ill., says: The large wholesale poultry house of this city, belonging to G. M. D. Legg, of Boston, was burned early Monday, and after the fire the charred and blackened remains of Robert Lathrom were found, his arms and legs having been consumed. As he was one of the principal witnesses against Wm. Appleton, of Arcola, for the killing of Scott Swartz, it is believed that Lathrom

fire to conceal the crime. Hon. John C. Bills Commits Suicide. DAVENPORT, Ig., Aug. 24.—Hon. John C. Bills, ex-state senator and ex-mayor of Davenport, aged 40 years, one of the most prominent lawyers in Iowa, committed suicide by shooting Monday. He was despondent over failing health.

was murdered and the building set on

IOWA DEMOCRATS.

Campaign Opened by Chosen Candidate for Governor.

At Fort Dodge, on the evening of Thursday, the 19th, the state democracy assembled in convention and nominated a state ticket. Mr. Fred E. White was chosen as the standard bearer and in response to the enthusiastic greeting given him by the people spoke as fol-

"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: On June 23 last three separate state con-ventions were held in the city of Des Moines. These three representative bodies nominated and indorsed one ticket and united in the expression of a platform of united in the expression of a platform of principles. This being the opening meeting of the campaign the public expects and it has a right to expect a truthful exposition of the principles to which we hold. Our platform declares in its first paragraph that we lay special emphasis upon that portion of the national democratic platform on the financial question, believing that the very existence of the farming, laboring and commercial interests of this country depends upon a change of our financial policy and we reassert that we definancial policy and we reassert that we demand the free unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the present legal ratio of sixteen to one without waiting for the kid or consent of any other nation.'

dealing entirely with the rate on the Pittsburgh district.

National President Ratchford said that the men are still firm for the 69-cent rate, and District President Dolan said that a settlement in ten minutes after the opening of the conference was not impossible.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 24.—The shooting affair among the Italian miners of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal.

Id or consent of any other nation.

"The most persistent objection urged against the free coinage of silver is that concerning the ratio. The declaration is incessantly made by gold standard advocates of both high and low degree that the sixteen to one ratio would give us a 50-cent dollar, an essentially dishonest dollar, a dollar that would not only cheat the private money lender, but ruin our public credit by fastening upon our people the withering guilt of having become deliberate repudlators of sacred obligations.

"Id do not consent of any other nation."

"I do not care with what an amount of confidence gold standard advocates talk of a commercial ratio, the obvious fact, the historic truth is, there has been no such ratio since 1873, and there is no such ratio hall. The call issued Monday was as follows:

To the Representatives of the Trade
Unions of Allegheny county: Armed assassins in the employ of the corporamint must be natural; that, is equitable, equal conditions. Whenever these conditions of equality at the mint are intertions of equality at the mint are interfered with, are destroyed, and unequal, unfair, artificial conditions are substituted,
then an actual, natural, real commercial
ratio cannot be established. The ratio or
result will always be in harmony with the
prevailing conditions. This is precisely
the case with the present alleged commercial ratio. It is not in any sense a natural,
a true commercial, but a purely artificial
ratio. The equality of conditions at the
mint, that is, the equality of gold and silver, the unlimited privilege of each to
be coined, was destroyed in 1873. Natural
conditions, equality of conditions ceased
to govern; and artificial, that is, unequal
conditions, were substituted and the result, the ratio is in harmony with these
conditions, it is an artificial ratio; being
an artificial ratio; it cannot at the same an artificial ratio it cannot at the same time be a natural commercial ratio.

"The equality of conditions, the natural conditions, which governed the mints up to 1873, have been destroyed. We still allow gold its former standing, coin all that comes, but silver we have outlawed. Its dent American Flint Glass Workers; M. M. Carland, president Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, and J. D. McFarland, D. M. W. Knights of Labor.

"The shooting at Oak Hill," said Secretary Warner, "shows beyond a doubt what I said to Judge Stowe at the injunction hearings was true. The intimidation is all practiced by the other side. Men are encouraged to go and attack those who will not work. We have not intimidated the company's men. They do not want to go to work for the wages they get and when they refuse, fire arms are to be used to coerce them."

President Patrick Dolan, of the strong the strong of the value of the voltawed netal and augmented the power of the gold dollar by artificially increasing its use; an increased demand for gold resulted when you outlawed silver, precisely as an increased demand resulted for woolen cloth when you people outlawed cotton. Under these conditions, which are decidedly unequal, unnatural conditions, you cannot establish a natural, a commercial ratio of gold and silver. The ratio is a purely artificial conditions. To get at an actual, true com-President Patrick Dolan, of the miners' organization, had a narrow silver all its functions and powers which constitutional status as full redemption

"Do not tell me that we cannot maintain the parity of the donars and then point to Mexico for your evidence, as has been your uniform practice. To undertake to compare this tremendous country with its teeming and enterprising population equaling in creative power over 200,000,000 of Europeans, with such a comparatively weak ropeans, with such a comparatively weak republic as Mexico is no fair comparison or parallel. Mexico is an infant; our country a giant. Mexico has scarcely succeeded in maintaining for herself a visible spot upon the world's map. We are by common consent regarded as the foremost people upon the globe. Mexico is destitute of international influence; at the council table of the nations she is systematically ignored. Her trade and commerce while growing rapidly of late is as yet comparatively insignificant, and necessarily must be. Mexico lacks the great essentials—business, trade and commerce—which are the perpetual absorbents of money. Let a man take silver bullion to the Mexican mint for coinage, and the trouble is there is not much to buy with the coin, for Mexico has but little to sell. The very contrary is much to buy with the coin, for Mexico has but little to sell. The very contrary is true of us. Let everyone bring silver to our mint and we will coin it into a full-fledged American dollar. We will put the eagle on one side and the goddess of liberty on the other with the superscription added, not in the money power, but 'In God we trust.'

Make an Actual Dollar. "We will through the power of the law, the law being backed by the power of pub-lic opinion, make this silver dollar an actual dollar that will stand in need of no actual dollar that will stand in need of no redeemer. We will invest it with the character of absolute, primary money. We will not dishonor it, send it forth an orphan, a discredited coin. We will make it an unqualified legal tender. We will clothe it with every essential function possessed by its yellow brother. With such a dollar, enjoying the prestige of the greatest nation on earth, the owner will have no a dollar, enjoying the prestige of the greatest nation on earth, the owner will have no difficulty. He can buy with it a thousand things each in almost endiess quantities. He can buy our cotton by the millions of bales, and our petroleum by the millions of barels; our rice and tobacco in enormous quantities; he can buy our wheat, corn and other grains by the millions of bushels; our beef and pork by the untold millions of pounds; he can buy our machinery, our butter and cheese, our iron and steel, our boots and shoes, and so on and so forth to the end of the almost interminable list. We can, therefore, successfully accomplish what Mexico cannot even dream of attempting.

The Tariff.

The Tariff. "My convictions upon the tariff question are well known. The lapse of time serves only to strengthen them. If all the nations of the earth would conform their laws to the natural law—to the divine law which the Creator's finger has written in indestructible characters on every physical feature of the conformation of the conf the Creator's finger has written in indestructible characters on every physical feature of His universe—then the international antagonisms, the international jealousies, the enervating warfare, which dwarf man's powers, would no longer hold him captive. Being free, as God intended him; working continuously in harmony with the natural law, instead of warring incessantly against it, man would become a veritable civilized being. He would march with a more elastic step, with a more joyful heart, with ... prouder conscience to fulfill the destiny for which God has created him.

has created him.

Danger of Corporate Power.

between the abuses and excesses of corporate power and the rights of the common people is inevitable. It is simply another irrepressible conflict. Not one that is to come at some future time, but one that is actually upon us. Let us take just one glimpse at the situation. The national banking corporations, the gold gamblers, the bullion brokers whom Thaddeus Stevens used to call the thieves in the dens of Wall street; all these vast interests have combined, and are determined to fasten gold monometallism upon the country as a permanent financial system. They are further determined that the government shall forever surrender its sovereign, constitutional right to provide for the people a paper currency. This supreme function is to be usurped and monopolized by the national banking fraternity. Either inflation or contraction of the money supply may then be had, not to suit the conveniences or necessities of the producing classes, but to satisfy the selfish purposes of a few money kings. These demands, to which the people are asked to give their formal and final sanction, are in perfect of a few money kings. These demands, to which the people are asked to give their formal and final sanction, are in perfect harmony with other demands having for their primary object the subjugation of all So-Called Protective System.

"If, as farmers, our national environ-ment is such that the so-called protective system cannot possibly benefit us; if natur-al conditions exclude us from the bene-fits it dispenses to others, then with no in-tent of being hostile to capital, we have a right to protest against the system. If, as is easily demonstrable, we are compelled to sell the result of our labor in a free trade market, we have the God-given right to ask that we be accorded the priv-ilege of investing the proceeds of this labor in the same market. To ask the right to buy where we are compelled to sell is neither demagogism, radicalism, anarchy, nor bad financiering. But this right sacred as it is, the manufacturing corpora-tions have, at least for a time, de-stroyed. During the life of the Dingley bill stroyed. During the file of the Dingley bill, the farmers of Iowa, and of the whole Missouri valley who raise grain and produce meat, will be compelled to sell in a free trade market and buy in a protected market. In other words, they will be compelled to submit (at least for some years) to a partial confiscation of their earnings. And this is not so much for the sake of public this is not so much for the sake of public revenue as for the purpose of reimbursing a hundredfold and more the shrewd corporations who united in the patriotic work of raising a fund of \$16,000,000 with which Mark Hanna prosecuted a presidential campaign, that did more to degenerate the manhood of the voter, deaden the conscience of the people and generate distrust in the efficiency of free institutions than all the rascalities practiced in all the camall the rascalities practiced in all the cam-paigns combined since the government was founded. As under the combined pro-visions of the prohibition and mulci laws of Iowa, the privilege can be bought from the state to commit a crime against so clety, so the manufacturing corporations bought with cold cash from the republican party the privilege to rob ...nd plunder their

Dingley Bill Not Asked For. "We are told that the people voted for protection last fall, and that the Dingley bill is but the natural response to this vote. This is not true. The national democrats decided the presidential election. Their vote elected McKinley. Not one of these asked for the Dingley iniquity. Every one of these men curses deep down in his heart the heartless provisions of that heartless measure. In 1892 these men were the foremost in the national democratic convention in waging war on the then Mc-kinley law. They denounced that law as unconstitutional. They characterized it as public robbery. Every one of these men will unite with us to-day in even a more vigorous arraignment of the new law. They will not stop short of denouncing it as a crime against the people.

Republican Rule in Iowa. "The republican state convention was held yesterday, and as I have not had the time to carefully consider the proceedings I shall not treat of state issues in the opening speech as fully as I will hereafter. The situation in this state, for which the republican management is solely responsible, is of such a character that it will be a difficult task to discuss it with the use temperate language. One feels tempted to step over the boundary. The democratic platform makes use of no milk and water ately committed against the people and the

law. "The disgraceful disclosures made through investigating committees of the twenty-sixth general assembly give to our state a high rank among rotten commonwealths. The rascalities perpetrated were not of a timid kind. They possess every characteristic of boldness The perpetracharacteristic of boldness. The perpetrators were in no sense restrained by the caution instinctively practiced by the tenderfoot. Their operations show they were acquainted with the lay of the land. They had unlimited confidence in their own depravity and a positive contempt for the people of the state. The immense republican majority regularly given inspired this light-fingered crew with the boldness they displayed. In a state with a doubtful a displayed. In a state with a doubtful, a shifting majority, pilfering schemers would be beset with difficulties. Here the steadfast majority at their back not only led them into temptation, but made these treasury plunderers careless in their raids. Not content with moderate hauls, they en-Not content with moderate hauls, they enlarged their thefts and in fact finally threw off almost all disguise and commenced stealing open and above hoard. This bold conduct is reconcilable with no other theory than that of complete reliance on party supremacy. It is useless to try to pile all the guilt of this maladministration of state affairs upon one or two. The manner of management of the republican party of this state is primarily responsible for the loathsome situation.

Government by Injunction. "Let me in conclusion refer to one more subject. I want to express to you my ever-lasting abhorrence of government by inlasting abhorrence of government by injunction. Unless in positively extreme cases when destruction of property is imminent the injunction should be avoided as we avoid the pestilence. An indiscriminate, sweeping use of this power (a sad condition into which we seem to be drifting) is no more compatible with civil and political liberty than is the ukase power of the Russian czar. The one is as poisonous and deadly to human freedom as the other. A conceded plenary use of this power in the hands of partisan judges would be an organized despotism far more destructive than the despotism of the Engdestructive than the despotism of the Eng-lish king and parliament against which your ancestors waged a seven years' war, a war which involved in its broadest sense the entire question of free government. "After the lapse of over a century of time are we going to surrender the fruits of that victory by tolerating in our midst a form of oppression greater than your forefathers threw off? If we cannot maintain the right of free speech we shall find ourselves unable to perpetuate the blessing of liberty to secure which such heroic sacrifices were

made.
"The democratic party, the natural party "The democratic party, the natural party of popular freedom, must never consent to an enlargement of the powers of the federal judiciary. It is this very danger, the abuse of judicial power, that Jefferson so clearly foresaw and so earnestly warned us against. Let us see to it that his warning may not have been in vain."

Senorita Cisneros, a beautiful and accomplished girl of 18 years, has been sentenced to 20 years of imprisonment in the penal colony of Centa, in Morocco, on the north coast of Africa. It is one of the most loathsome of the torture spots of Spain, where many of the worst criminals are gathered. There is nothing against the black-eyed, sweetfaced girl except that she was in the Isle of Pines when the outbreak of Cuban prisoners occurred, and that she is the niece of President Cisneros, who heads the civil government of the insur-"It requires not a specially keen intellect to perceive that a struggle to the death gents in the jungles of Camaguay.

DASHED THROUGH THE LINES.

Heroie Act of a Colorado Citizen Saved the Kansas Free-Soiler. There were thrilling deeds, daring adventures, splendid heroism and brutal

treachery in Kansas. Once the freesoilers were beleaguered at Lawrence by an overwhelming force of marauders from across the river, with battle, murder and sudden death in their eyes. A few miles away a force of United States troops lay encamped, but the Missourians had drawn their lines so tightly that it was as much as a free-soiler's life was worth to try to reach them. Was there a man in Lawrence brave enough to take the risk? The besiegers rarely threw away a cartridge; their aim was sure, their fingers quick on the trigger. Yet, as night fell, and people thought of what the morning might bring, a Vermont boy said he would take his chances. The swiftest and strongest horse in the place was saddled; the boy gripped him with his knees, and, commending his old father to his friends if he fell, dashed out into the dark. Lawrence listened to the clatter of his horse's hoofs, to the steady galop into which the animal's pace settled lown, to the crack of an outpost rifle, followed by a volley aimed not at the rider, for they could not see him, but at the sound of the furious rush; and then the firing died out, and Lawrence knew from the faint reverberation of the distant hoof beats that the daring rider had got through the lines, and the city was saved.

The young man's name was H. A. W. Tabor, and he lived to be United States senator from Colorado for a brief term. Many years ago he told me the story in confidence. I think I am justified in breaking faith, now that the old man is a broken, houseless bankrupt, who at this time sorely needs a friend. -Leslie's Weekly.

An Unfaltering Egotist.

The actor whose confidence in himself wavers for an instant is lost. A member of the histrionic profession who had tried a new character was conversing with an acquaintance about the manner in which he had performed. It wasn't so much that he cared for anybody else's opinion, but he liked the

"I was a little bit frightened at first," he said, confidingly, "but I soon got over it. It didn't take me long to feel sure of my ground. And when I got to going I was perfectly easy."

"Yes," replied the friend, "I didn't bserve any signs of nervousness." "You saw the performance, did you?"

"Of course you liked it."

"Well, in a certain way. Sometimes ou were very good. And, to be candid with you, at other times you were very bad. I hope I haven't hurt your

feelings.' "Hurt my feelings? Not a bit of it. I wouldn't have been good all the time for anything. If there is any quality upon which I pride myself more than on all others, it is versatility."-Detroit

Sweet Pickled Crabapples.

Take the largest crabapples you can get, pick over carefully, wash clean and phraseology in its indictment of the dom-inant party's managers. It plainly charges them with the crimes they have deliberwipe or drain them dry. Take one galbowls of brownsugar, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, two of ground allspice, two of ginger and two of whole cloves. Boil all together, then drop a couple of quarts of crabapples into the kettle; boil until barely tender, and skim into a jar; repeat until the vinegar sirup is nearly used, then pour the remainder over the fruit and, if it is not covered, make a little more sirup and pour, while boiling, over the fruit and seal .- House keeper.

Emperor a Patron of Dueling. Thanks to the encouragement which Emperor William has accorded to the practice of dueling, it is now being adopted by the medical profession in Germany. A couple of physicians summoned in consultation became involved at the bedside of a patient in so vehement a dispute with regard to the character of the malady and of its treatment that they concluded to fight the matter out. The conflict took place on the outskirts of Bonn, on the Rhine, one of the combatants, Dr. Fischer, receiving a bullet in the chest, which killed him instantly.

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